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# MICHIGAN BOARD OF MEDICINE DISCIPLINARY SUBCOMMITTEE

# **SEPTEMBER 20, 2023 MEETING**

#### APPROVED MINUTES

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, 1976 PA 267, as amended, the Michigan Board of Medicine Disciplinary Subcommittee met on September 20, 2023, at 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper-Level Conference Room 3, Lansing, Michigan 48933.

#### **CALL TO ORDER**

Dondre Young, Public Member, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 8:44 a.m.

#### **ROLL CALL**

**Members Present:** Dondre Young, Public Member, Chairperson

Mustafa Mark Hamed, MD, MBA, MPH

Surya Nalamati, MD

Angela Trepanier, MS, CGC

Members Absent: Cassandra Jones-McBryde, Public Member

**Staff Present:** Laury Brown, Senior Analyst, Compliance Section

Marshall Hooks, Senior Analyst, Compliance Section

Weston MacIntosh, JD, Departmental Specialist, Boards and Committees Section

LeAnn Payne, Board Support Technician,

**Boards and Committees Section** 

Michele Wagner-Gutkowski, JD, Assistant Attorney General

LeAnn Payne, Board Support Technician, Boards and Committees Section Michigan Board of Medicine Disciplinary Subcommittee Minutes September 20, 2023 Page 2 of 8

#### APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION by Hamed, seconded by Nalamati, to approve the agenda with the amendment to remove item 5. D. Justin Paul Direzze, until the committee can review the full file.

A voice vote followed.

MOTION PREVAILED

#### **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

MOTION by Hamed, seconded by Nalamati, to approve the July 19, 2023, meeting minutes, as written.

A voice vote followed.

**MOTION PREVAILED** 

#### REGULATORY CONSIDERATIONS

# **Consent Orders and Stipulations**

# Shahzaman Hamid Abbasi, MD

MOTION by Hamed, seconded by Trepanier, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Hamed, Nalamati, Trepanier, Young

Nays: None

**MOTION PREVAILED** 

# Scott Henry Cooper, MD

MOTION by Hamed, seconded by Nalamati, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Hamed, Nalamati, Trepanier, Young

Nays: None

**MOTION PREVAILED** 

#### Samson K. Kpadenou, MD

MOTION by Trepanier, seconded by Nalamati, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Hamed, Nalamati, Trepanier, Young

Nays: None

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# Amritraj Ganesh Loganathan, MD

MOTION by Nalamati, seconded by Trepanier, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Hamed, Nalamati, Trepanier, Young

Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

# Mamon Yehya Maiteh, MD

MOTION by Nalamati, seconded by Hamed, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Hamed, Nalamati, Trepanier, Young

Nays: None

#### MOTION PREVAILED

#### Thomas F. McCormick, MD

MOTION by Nalamati, seconded by Trepanier, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Hamed, Nalamati, Trepanier, Young

Nays: None

#### **MOTION PREVAILED**

#### Mark Mena Samaan, MD

MOTION by Trepanier, seconded by Hamed, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Hamed, Nalamati, Trepanier, Young

Nays: None

#### MOTION PREVAILED

#### **Bodo Egon Schneider, MD**

MOTION by Nalamati, seconded by Hamed, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

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A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Hamed, Nalamati, Trepanier, Young

Nays: None

#### **MOTION PREVAILED**

# Sergei A. Shevlyagin, MD

MOTION by Trepanier, seconded by Hamed, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Hamed, Nalamati, Trepanier, Young

Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

# Matthew Gregory Small, MD

MOTION by Nalamati, seconded by Trepanier, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Hamed, Nalamati, Trepanier, Young

Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

# **Ekram Smith, MD**

Hamed recused himself.

MOTION by Nalamati, seconded by Trepanier, to discuss.

A voice vote was held.

MOTION PREVAILED

Discussion was held.

MOTION by Nalamati, seconded by Trepanier, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Nalamati, Trepanier, Young

Nays: None Recuse: Hamed

MOTION PREVAILED

#### Scott William Smith, MD

MOTION by Nalamati, seconded by Hamed, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Hamed, Nalamati, Trepanier, Young

Nays: None

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#### **MOTION PREVAILED**

# **Robert Lebaron Grant Stears, MD**

MOTION by Trepanier, seconded by Hamad, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Hamed, Nalamati, Trepanier, Young

Nays: None

#### MOTION PREVAILED

# Andrew Vasyulk, MD

MOTION by Nalamati, seconded by Trepanier, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Hamed, Nalamati, Trepanier, Young

Nays: None

**MOTION PREVAILED** 

# **Recommendation for Dismissal**

#### Bachu Abraham, MD

MOTION by Hamed, seconded by Trepanier, to accept the Recommendation for Dismissal.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Hamed, Nalamati, Trepanier, Young

Nays: None

# **MOTION PREVAILED**

#### Tyler John Southwell, MD

MOTION by Hamed, seconded by Nalamati, to accept the Recommendation for Dismissal.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Hamed, Nalamati, Trepanier, Young

Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

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# **ADMINISTRATIVE COMPLAINTS**

#### Vasso Godziachvili Godiali, MD

MOTION by Nalamati, seconded by Trepanier, to discuss.

A voice vote followed.

**MOTION PREVAILED** 

Discussion was held.

MOTION by Nalamati, seconded by Hamed, to dissolve the Order of Summary Suspension and revoke Respondent's license.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Hamed, Nalamati, Trepanier, Young

Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

# Kim Marie Hiatt, MD

MOTION by Trepanier, seconded by Nalamati, to discuss.

A voice vote followed.

**MOTION PREVAILED** 

Discussion was held.

MOTION by Nalamati, seconded by Hamed, to reprimand the Respondent and impose a fine of \$1,000.00 to be paid within 90 days. Failure to pay the fine will result in a minimum of one day suspension until the fine has been paid. If the license remains suspended for more than six months, Respondent must apply for reinstatement.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Hamed, Nalamati, Trepanier, Young

Navs: None

**MOTION PREVAILED** 

# Sonia Wei-Yee Leung, MD

MOTION by Nalamati, seconded by Trepanier, to discuss.

A voice vote was held.

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#### MOTION PREVAILED

Discussion was held.

MOTION by Nalamati, seconded by Hamed, to place Respondent on probation for a minimum of one day, not to exceed six months, to complete eight hours of pre-approved continuing education consisting of two hours in communication, two hours in professionalism, and four hours in spinal cord emergencies and/or spinal cord acute compression syndrome, all of which will not count towards renewal requirements. Respondent is fined \$2,500.00 to be paid within six months. Failure to comply with terms will result in a minimum of one day suspension of license until compliant. If license remains suspended for more than six months, Respondent must apply for reinstatement.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Hamed, Nalamati, Trepanier, Young Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

Charles M. Wasson, MD

MOTION by Trepanier, seconded by Nalamati, to discuss.

A voice vote was held.

**MOTION PREVAILED** 

Discussion was held.

MOTION by Nalamati, seconded by Hamed, to limit Respondent's license for a minimum of six months to preclude the obtaining possessing, prescribing, dispensing, or administering of controlled substances – all schedules. Reclassification of Respondent's license is not automatic. Respondent is placed on probation to run concurrently with the limitation period. The terms of probation are to complete eleven hours of pre-approved continuing education consisting of: six hours in controlled substance prescribing and/or pain management, two hours in documentation, two hours in professionalism, and one hour in recognizing signs of drug diversion, all of which will not count towards renewal requirements. Respondent must comply with the Public Health Code.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Hamed, Nalamati, Trepanier, Young

Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

**PUBLIC COMMENT** 

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None

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The next regularly scheduled meeting is November 15, 2023, at 8:30 a.m. at 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper-Level Conference Center Room 3, Lansing, Michigan 48933.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

MOTION by Nalamati, seconded by Hamed, to adjourn the meeting at 10:03 a.m.

A voice vote followed.

**MOTION PREVAILED** 

Minutes approved by the Board on: November 15, 2023.

Prepared by: LeAnn Payne, Board Support Technician Bureau of Professional Licensing

September 21, 2023